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Thanks all.

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Thanks, Guy. Just emailed on a separate thread that I believe HQ review on the RFP SIP is now concluded.

Regarding RACT, Kristi and I are scheduled to talk with Suzanne, Rick, and Lucinda next week. Rick and I had a brief chat this afternoon, and I think we're getting to the same page, but we'll continue the conversation with the larger group next week. He and I will work on drafting a response (should I use the same Sharepoint document we had before or is there a different version?) so that the RACT package is ready to go out about concurrent with the SSM SIP call proposal. I'll also work with OAQPS to make sure they're able to do whatever review they need to do from their end.

Thanks all. Karen

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Based on the conversation on Monday regarding RFP and RACT, and later conversations with folks here in the Region, I understand the following.

RFP: OAR was going to review the Region's draft comment by Tuesday. (Did that happen) OGC was going to review the draft response by today. The Region should be able to move forward and get this signed during December. Given Holiday schedules it is important we start concurrence soon.

VOC RACT: I agreed to wait until the proposed withdrawal of the SIP call for Texas to be proposed to finalize the action. In the meantime, Karen and Rick will work out the appropriate response. I understand from talking to Rick and Suzanne, ORC has concerns about this approach. Hopefully, we can get those concerns worked out. Rick please reach out to Karen to begin working through the comment response. I would like the notice to be ready to be signed a matter of days after the SIP call withdrawal is proposed. Ideally it would be concurred upon through me. If we can't get the

VOC notice completed in January, it will be likely be discussed in our February Business review because our bowling chart is going to have a red box on it.